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FOR SALE.—Lots 28 and 40, Block D, subdivision of Suburban Lot XXIII, Esquimalt town. Price $700. For further information apply to T. TIMES office. sep3

FOR SALE.—A yoke of oxen, price $85. Also several spaniel pups, price $2.50. Apply at Gorge Hotel. aug28-1w

FOR SALE.—Household furniture and effects cheap. Also, baby's cot, chair and paragon bulator. Apply at 46 Kane street. aug20-1w

FOR SALE.—122 fowls, comprising eight varieties; 150 fancy pigeons, seven varieties; and 60 lop-eared rabbits. For sale cheap. Apply at 149 View street. aug20-1w

TO LET.

TO LET.—Furnished room with or without board. Apply at 38 Quebec street. sep1-1w

TO LET OR FOR SALE.—Julius Barron offers his brick building, near the Clarence, including 17 years' lease, for sale. Ground rent $15 per month. Apply at the premises, Yates street. aug19-1m

TO LET.—Furnished Room, with or without board. Apply at 34 Michigan street, and Birdcage walk, James bay. aug16-tf

FOR RENT.—From Aug. 1st—The offices now occupied by the E. & N. Railway Co., in Redfern's block, 43 Government street. Apply to C. E. Redfern on the premises. jy26

TO LET OR FOR SALE.—The building known as the Skating Rink, on Yates street. For further particulars apply at No. 264 Johnson street. jy19

SPECIAL.

MRS MACK—Ladies' nurse after confinement. Address, No. 30 Chatham street. aug5-tf

BOARDERS.—Mrs. Powell has opened a Private Boarding House at 92 View street, and will be able to accommodate a few boarders. House newly repaired and everything new in connection with it. aug6-1m

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS ARE WARNED AGAINST trespassing on Cloverdale Farm.
aug31-3w J. W. TOLMIE.

PAINTING.

MRS. GEO. WISE HAS RETURNED TO the city, and is prepared to again teach her method of painting on silk and velvet. No. 269 Johnson street. sep3-2w

ST. ANN'S CONVENT SCHOOLS

THE CLASSES AT THE St. ANN'S CONVENT on Humboldt street, and at the Kindergarten on View street, will be resumed on

Wednesday, the 21st of August,

AT NINE A. M.

For further particulars apply to
aug17-2w LADY SUPERIOR.

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Will sail from

Portland for Victoria,

DIRECT,

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CHANGE OF BUSINESS.

I THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY ANnounce to the public of Victoria and vicinity that I have sold the business and good-will of the Vancouver House, Yates street, to Messrs. F. J. Dawley and Chas Fox. Thanking my past patrons for their liberal consideration, and soliciting for my successors a continuance of same. Respectfully yours,

ISAAC BECHTEL.

In reference to the above, a continuance of the same excellence is guaranteed, and we solicit a share of patronage.

FOX & DAWLEY.

aug6-1m

THE NORTHERN COAST.

Observations of a Tourist—At Knight's Inlet—Potlatching Case.

The Salmon Fishery—Hatchery Wanted—Mysterious Murder at Massett.

It may be that a few notes on coast matters may be of interest to Victoria people, and although there is nothing highly sensational to relate, the coast is always rich as a field of observation. The Princess Louise has attempted two tourist excursions which appeared to offer an opportunity of visiting some of the great inlets. Since the route has never been systematically advertised there is, however, little or no traffic, and the inducements offered were not large enough to allow of the programme being carried out as contemplated.

One great treat, however, was afforded in the first excursion. We entered Knight Inlet in the dusk by a tortuous and rarely visited channel and anchored in a cove at the great bend of the inlet where it enters the higher mountains. All night we lay stuck on a mud flat, and when the tide rose and floated us in the morning, the mountains were densely clouded and the whole atmosphere was gray and dismal. As we left the anchorage and steamed out into the great inlet the clouds lifted and the hot sun broke through the rifts, they passed away like a little puff of smoke and left the sky one great field of azure, and the waters a sheet of dancing silver. Words cannot do justice to the awful grandeur of that mountain avenue, extending in vast perspectives to where the snow shines out against the sky in the shadowy distance. A vertical cliff of 3160 feet, impending over the deep fiord; a cataract thundering down the extremity of a headland, and certain white alps shining above the lateral gorges, were the most beautiful features of the scenery.

At Alert Bay I learned that as I had repeatedly urged, the chief who had given the potlatch at the Mamelilliciellah, postponed on account of my recent visit there, (for fear that I was a constable) has been arrested, and an example made. Mr. Pidcock has been the first of the magistrates to actually carry out the regulations of the Indian Department by punishing an Indian for potlatching; and I had hoped that whatever influences had been brought to bear he would have been supported by the department which authorized it. Immediately after Mr. Pidcock convicted this Indian, Mr. Spencer is stated to have raised a subscription among the Indians to appeal the case and so counteract the policy that dictated the arrest. Mr. Spencer has succeeded. Attached to the regulation prohibiting the potlatch is an injunction that Indians are to be allowed to repay old debts. Since a potlatch is simply the repayment of social obligations in every instance the department obligation is essentially both. On this ground the man has been released, and a precedent established which will perpetuate unchecked the whole evil of the potlatch. Do not let any one say it is unimportant. The potlatch is given with money raised by prostitution of women and young girls. It is a terrible shame that the only man, Mr. Pidcock, who has ever dared to stand between the Kwagutl Indians and their ruin, has been by the release of this Indian deprived of the support of the law and left between the two department and the Indians as snubbed by the one and laughed at by the other.

We called at Rivers Inlet, followed closely by the fair "Boscowitz," and found the "Sardonyx" at the lower cannery. This rush of traffic was quite bewildering.

The waterfall close to the upper cannery was dried up and many other streams, also, which together with the melting of snows that have lain scores of years, has modified the appearance of many favorite bits of scenery for the worse.

We made a pleasant run to Skidegate in sharp contrast to the wild performance of this last trip by the outside passage in a heavy swell, which I hear caused great devastation in the bosoms of all but two on board. One is reminded of a sensational poem composed once by a passenger on the Boscowitz, in which it is written:

"Groans! Idle groans! I well know what they mean;
Groans from the depths of some marine despair
Rise from beneath and gurgle in the throat
In thinking of the meals that are going by
And looking on the waves o'er which we float."

We visited the anthracite mine eight miles up the Skidegate channel. This property was once developed to the point of shipping a few hundred tons of coal and after long abandonment active work was begun again with strong hope of a successful issue.

At Massett I decided to await the Princess Louise on her second trip in order to enjoy the hospitality of the coast once more, to see the very successful Anglican mission, learn some Indian legends and see the country. A great deal of land has been taken up of late on the islands and much of it is of real value. There is the Daloshila property, for instance, near Massett village, a salt water swamp that needs only a little capital to convert it into a fine ranche and farm, while the timbered portions of the estate are very rich soil for the most part, although the timber is not very big. Along the sand dunes of the north coast to eastward and in extensive meadows adjacent, some 200 head of cattle and a band of horses range and are fat both summer and winter, only requiring hay in exceptionally snowy winters. The interior for sixty miles is stated to be an open swamp with high grass and rich soil elevated considerably so as to allow of easy drainage. South of this is the coal field, while the west is checked with volcanic mountains. There is no more delightful place for shooting in the whole province than the country about Massett; and, where long beaches, grassy dunes, and open meadow lands, extend on every side, many a fine gallop may be had and many an incident met with to make a day's ride delightful.

Rejoining the steamer on her return I continued the trip in equally unfavorable weather as it had been before, for the southeaster was at large.

We called at the Nass and Skeena inlets and loaded up 7,500 cases of salmon. The cannery managers are not well pleased with existing regulations of the department of fisheries. The five dollar tax on boats and the poll tax of three dollars are estimated for the Nass at $1225, and for the Skeena at $2550 this season, in return for which they have jointly the services of a fishery guardian and a magistrate in the neighborhood. They do not enjoy very great postal facilities or any especial advantages of government, such as representation in parliament, and their officers for assistance in taking up the "snags" in their waters are entirely ignored. Now the Indians are all poor, and the fishing must be kept in check, and the canning folk will bear taxing as well as their neighbors, but it is only fair that they should have a fair return and their demand for the clearing of the river beds could be complied with without heavy expense and would add to the prosperity of the district.

Moreover, the Nass and Skeena inlets are much outraged in being classed with the Fraser River in the regulation as regards moving offal. They are arms of the sea and the offal is too little in amount to do mischief. I am inclined, however, to wish that this offal regulation may be enforced to the utmost, not to worry the good folk or remove a nuisance but to drive them into actively supporting and promoting a factory to deal with a precious big product. The salmon offal is very rich in oil, which is easily rendered, and the refuse of that process is a valuable manure. If the cannery people are driven to it we shall see salmon oil and manure on the market in fair quantity and a new and flourishing industry at the fisheries.

There is a much vexed question over fishing. May a fool be permitted to suggest that the salmon canning people combine for the purpose of producing a hatchery under really experienced management to increase the run of fish and prevent the waters from exhaustion. They complain that a government hatchery is apt to hatch dogfish by mistake, and turn out their fry to be devoured in their babyhood. It is a curious, communistic idea that the government should turn midwife and nurse fish anyhow. I hope these remarks will not be considered impertinent by the learned and experienced in the matter.

One of the cannery managers, Mr. Leary, of Nass River, showed me a curious deposit which he uses as paint and fire clay. It is soft like fresh putty but of a dark grey color, is oily like a soft cheese, has no grit or crystallization except from long exposure to air; the paint looks as good as the kinds ordinarily used and does not crack readily from exposure to heat. What the nature of the deposite is no one seems to know, but there seems to be a great deal of it underlying a few inches of mould and a foot or two of the clay in a crystalized hardened condition.

There is a big excitement among the Indians now camped below Kitastas Canyon, on the Skeena River, and the story is worth telling. Some time ago some Hazwilgasts, who live near the Forks of Skeena encountered a party of strange Indians, who couldn't talk any known tongue, were very ragged and footsore, and so strongly excited their suspicions that warnings respecting them were sent to all the valley tribes. Last Sunday, at a camp and fishing village, some way below the canyon, on the south bank, a girl of perhaps eighteen years of age sat near the house with her little sister aged three or four. The little one had just run towards the house when the elder girl felt there was some one behind her, and turning round saw a strange man running off with the child, and another whom she described as an Indian, very ragged and bearded, close upon her. She was chased herself into the house, banged the door and began screaming. The people assembled, and joined by those of a neighboring camp, came towards evening to a piece of sandy ground, where about seven persons had been sitting, and the marks showed one to have rested half kneeling like a white man. A rustling in the bushes caused the pursuers to challenge hastily in Chinook English and Tsimpshean, and then, the sounds being continued, to fire a volley with their rifles. A thud was heard as if a man falling, and pushing through the bush, tracks were plainly distinguished of something having been dragged along with a man on either side. On Tuesday a freight canoe arrived at the camp, the crew of which had found down stream the body of the stolen child. The corpse was still fresh, stiffness not having set in and the inference was that murder had been delayed until within a few hours of the discovery. The body was by last accounts lying at the camp; many of the people were frightened and had returned to their homes at Essington and extensive searches were on foot. Rev. Mr. Crosby bound up the valley is stated to have been in the camp at the time of the body was recovered and the people being suspicious of the Kitamaht tribe of Douglas channel which claims hunting grounds in the Skeena. Mr. Crosby asserted that in his opinion the criminals were bad white men. I give the story exactly as it was reported at Essington and have been able to form no opinion as to its truth or falsehood.

H. B. A. PODCOCK.

MORE SEALERS ARRIVE.

Good Catches—The Schooner Viva High Line.

Three sealing schooners arrived from Behring sea this morning. The Adele, a Japan schooner, was the first to come into the harbor and report. Her catch in the north consists of 1,000 skins. The Penelope, owned by Mr. Morris Moss, was the next heard from. Her Behring Sea captures number 1806. Neither of these schooners saw anything of the cutter during the season.

THE VIVA.

The schooner Viva, owned by Messrs. Carne & Munsie, was towed into the harbor this morning. The Viva, which is commanded by Capt. Baker, kept up her big record of former years and is high line for the season so far as reported. From Mr. Wm. Paine, who with one or two others of the crew left the schooner in the straits and rowed in to the city early this morning, it was learned that the Viva had 2180 skins on board, making her total catch for the season 3841. The Viva arrived in Behring Sea on the 2nd of July and found the seals fairly plentiful though not more than ordinarily so. During the hunt in Behring Sea the U. S. cutter was not encountered. One evening they sighted smoke on the horizon, which it was supposed was the Rush, but that night the Viva shifted her quarters and no further sign of the piratical ship was seen. The Viva carried a crew of 22, of whom six were experienced hunters who can always be relied on to raise the wind if they are anywhere around. The Mary Ellen was spoken ten days before the Viva left the sea with 1600 skins on board.

The large catch of the Viva is a fair indication of what might have been secured by Messrs. Carne, Munsie and Beebtel's other schooner, the Pathfinder, had she not been seized by the U. S. cutter. The Pathfinder was sealing in the same part of the sea as the Viva and had several more skins than the latter on the 19th of July.

COUNTY COURT.

This court was held to-day by Mr. Justice Crease. Several unimportant cases were disposed of. The greater part of the day was occupied in hearing the case of Toller & Robinson vs. Mary, a claim for commission on a real estate transfer which was proposed but not effected. The case developed some peculiarities which kept the small group of court spectators considerably interested. Mr. Helt appeared for the real estate agents and Mr. E. M. Johnson for Capt. May.

Woman's Strategy.

An amusing incident is current in legal circles in Vancouver, and is one which proves that woman's wit can baffle man's strategy nine cases out of ten when it comes to a test. In this case a well known collector was attempting to enforce a claim under a lien order, on a stove, in the house of a certain woman in that city. She, however, kept up a roaring fire in the stove all day and the collector was unable to touch it.

Brunswick Hotel.

The best place in town to get a 25 cent dinner is the Brunswick Hotel.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

GENERAL DISPATCHES.

The Shah in a Railway Accident—He Displays Great Presence of Mind.

A Mine Horror—Sixty-Two Miners in a Burning Mine—Chances of Escape.

By Postal Telegraph.]

London, Sept. 5.—The joint dock committee gained a point to-day by conceding one. It accepted a proposition of the ship owners to appoint a conference committee, with power to arrange the details of the plan by which the ship owners should be allowed to pay men who have heretofore been paid by the dock companies. A communication to this effect was sent to the ship owners at noon today. The ship-owners do not meet until noon, and as some time must elapse before the committee on details can begin work, it is possible that the strikers will be starved into submission before the committee finishes its work, which will depend upon the willingness of the joint dock companies' representatives to agree with the ship owners' representatives on the disputed points. The joint dock committee is running a waiting race and all depends on the staying qualities of the strikers.

Five of the principal London wharfingers have agreed to the terms demanded by the strikers, and work in their docks began this morning with a full force. All the wharfingers and granary keepers are on the verge of a similar agreement, and hundreds of men are surrounding each wharf in readiness to go to work when the employers shall reach their decision. The Thames has a livelier appearance this morning than for weeks past. The men who have gone to work agree to contribute one day's pay to the strikers and for the benefit of those still idle. Mr. Burns declares the men have given the directors of the dock companies a crushing blow, from which they will not soon recover. £4,000 has been sent to the strikers from Australia.

WEST TO WORK.

London, Sept. 5—Over 3000 dock laborers returned to work this morning at advanced pay.

MARINE.

San Francisco, Sept. 5—Arrived steamer Umatilla from Victoria and ship Rufus E. Wood from Nanaimo.

COULD NOT AGREE—STABBED.

San Francisco, Sept. 5.—The jury in the case of B. Davis, charged with the murder of his wife two months ago, was discharged this morning, having failed to agree. They were out 48 hours and took out ballots, on each of which they stood 8 for conviction and 4 for acquittal.

Michael Tobin, a carpenter, stabbed his brother-in-law, Edward Wall, fireman, in the abdomen early this morning, and it is believed fatally wounded him. Both men, who were intoxicated at the time, quarrelled over some family affair. Tobin was arrested.

SECURING JURORS.

Chicago, Sept. 5.—The sixth day of the Cronin murder trial commenced with two jurors who had been accepted by both the state and defence. The state's attorney commenced the morning session by peremptorily challenging one of these and during the session the lawyers examined six or seven new men, four of whom were passed by the defence but may be objected to by the state.

TO INQUIRE INTO SEWAGE.

London, Sept. 5—Ellis Clark, President of the Association of Municipal and Sanitary Engineers of England, will sail on September 21st for the purpose of acquainting himself with methods adopted in large cities in the United States for the disposal of sewage and refuse, and also with internal sanitary arrangements of those large cities.

UNVEILS A STATUE.

Port Hope, Sept. 5.—Sir John A. Macdonald and Sir A. P. Caron unveiled the beautiful statue of the late Colonel Williams here yesterday morning. Appropriate speeches were made to the memory of the heroes of the rebellion. The premier this afternoon formally opened the exhibition.

LEASING COAL LANDS.

Toronto, Sept. 5.—Under the title of the Canada Northwest Coal and Lumber Syndicate, Limited, a company has been formed in London, England, with a capital of £70,000. Its object is to acquire certain freehold coal and timber lands, consisting of two lots about two and a half square miles each, called the Coal Creek mine and Bow River mine, 25 miles west of Calgary, and to lease timber lands covering an area of 71 miles, held under a perpetual lease from the Dominion Government.

SEEKING MRS. MAYBRICK'S RELEASE.

London, Sept. 5.—The Maybrick committee has decided to obtain counsel's opinion as to the best method, whether by *habeas corpus* or in any other way, of annulling the home secretary's decision in the case of Mrs. Maybrick in order to quash the verdict and liberate the prisoner. Subscriptions to this end are being sought. The children of Mrs. Maybrick have been adopted by a lady and gentleman of London, with the approval of the relatives of both sides of the family.

MERCIER TALKS.

Montreal, Sept. 5.—Premier Mercier, in an interview, said he looked for a proposal to abolish French as the official language in Manitoba as unfair and unjust.

He said the Jesuits estates compensation money would be paid over early in November and that the interest on $60,000 to the Protestants would be paid over at the same time, provided the protest committee of the council of public instruction intimates its acceptance of the money.

AS TO THE HUSTEDE INCIDENT.

Ottawa, Sept. 5.—"A question that has arisen at Esquimalt," says Hon. Mr. Tupper, "is as to how Her Majesty's ships are exempted from instructions issued to Canadian government ports or masters."

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.

Windsor, Ont., Sept. 5.—Magistrate Barlee has committed Michael Higgins for trial for shooting the Brooks children.

I. O. O. F.

Montreal, Sept. 5.—The Odd Fellows parade yesterday was a very successful affair. Portland, Me., and Ottawa and local lodges marched in the procession.

A PRIEST'S FUNERAL.

Funeral rites of the late Father Bourselot at Notre Dame yesterday was attended by two hundred priests and eight thousand people, including many members of parliament and distinguished citizens.

WAY UP.

Toronto, Sept. 5—Canadian Pacific stock sold at 85½ in London this morning.

ACQUITTED.

Oakland, Cal., Sept. 5.—Mrs. Dr. Amelia Funk was acquitted last night of the murder of Mrs. Bensing, last April, by malpractice.

AN AWFUL DEED.

New York, Sept. 5.—John Schlaffer, who has just returned to his home in Union Hill, N. J., from a mad house, last night murdered his brother Jacob, and then suicided by shooting. It is said that religious excitement while in San Francisco, coupled with unsuccessful business ventures there overthrew the murderer's reason.

A GALA DAY.

Philadelphia, Sept. 5—Although today's celebration commemorates the foundation of the historical Old Log College, it is distinctively a Presbyterian celebration in its conception. The event called out persons of every religious denomination, and speakers and others taking part in the exercises were of all shades of politics. Shortly after eight o'clock this morning President Harrison, Governor Beaver, Governor Green of New Jersey, and Postmaster General Wanamaker started in carriages to the country home of the latter at Jenkintown. The greeting given to the President by the people along the Old York road was a fitting preliminary to the celebration itself. The inhabitants of houses by the roadside had horses and wagons ready to fall in behind the presidential party. Noble station on the Reading Railway, was covered with flags and bunting and from that point to Abington, half a mile distant, the road was lined with flags placed twenty feet apart, and the handsome country residences were decorated with flags as well as flying from the lawns. Just before entering Abington there was great enthusiasm. The President is expected to arrive at the scene of the celebration about a mile south of Hartsville, about 1:30 p. m., when the commemorative exercises will begin.

DEATH IN THE AIR.

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 5.—Hugh Perrett, an electric light lineman, met with a terrible death at noon to-day. He was working on a pole on Seneca street and caught hold of a line. The wire fell to a cross arm and he hung there in the air unable to save himself, giving evidence of extreme suffering. His arm was around the wire, his head hanging down, and his body twitching and writhing. The fire department was called but it was 15 minutes before help came. Perrett was alive when taken down, but speechless, and died in a few minutes after reaching the hospital. His right breast was badly burned and the fingers of his left hand were burned almost to the bone. He has been in the employ of the company but a few days.

OVER NIAGARA FALLS.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Sept. 5.—An unknown woman suicided by jumping into the rapids, two hundred feet above the falls, and went over the cataract this morning. She was dressed in black, had red hair and was six feet tall. She weighed apparently about 140 pounds. Nothing was left behind by which to identify her. A lookout has been set for the body.

TWO KILLED.

Granton, N. J., Sept. 5.—Two heavy freight trains on the West Shore railway collided this morning between here and a little ferry in New Jersey. Both trains were completely wrecked and the cars and their contents were scattered all over the track. The engineer and fireman on one train were both killed.

THE ACCIDENT TO THE SHAH'S TRAIN.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 4.—Further details have been received here of the accident which befell the train on which the Shah of Persia was travelling through Russia, homeward bound. It seems that a portion of the embankment over which the train was passing gave way, and the carriages, including the one in which the Shah was seated, were thrown from the rails and precipitated to the foot of the embankment. The Shah displayed great presence of mind. Just before his carriage rolled over on its side, he jumped from the window and fell into the deep mud, where he was dragged out by the train men.

MINE HORROR.

New York, Sept. 5.—The Maurice Wood iron and stone pit at Midlothian is on fire. Sixty two miners are in the pit and the chances of saving them are very small. Two bodies have been recovered and workmen are endeavoring to reach the others.

FIRST NEW WHEAT.

Port Arthur, Sept. 5.—The first car of this season's crop of Manitoba wheat arrived here at the elevators yesterday. It was an excellent sample and grade 1 No. 1 hard.

THIS BEATS ALL.

Those Escaped Sealers Have Disturbed at Least One Editor.

San Francisco, Sept. 5.—The *Examiner* yesterday morning, referring editorially to the seized sealers which have escaped to Victoria, says: "Until their cases are adjusted all vessels ordered to Sitka by the cutter Rush are in custody of the United States. They may be seized whenever seen on the high seas or in American waters, whether sealing or not, and they will be taken as a matter of course, whatever their business may be, and if they try to trade to American ports their skippers will be relieved of command by the first custom house officer that steps on board. Under the circumstances there seems to be nothing for them to do but tie up and rot (?) in Victoria harbor, or coast along the channels by Vancouver Island."

SOMEWHAT SIMILAR.

A Woman Pardoned After Thirteen Years Imprisonment.

Kansas City, Sept. 5.—A case, which in many respects resembles that of Mrs. Maybrick, was ended to-day by the full and unconditional pardon of Mrs. Henrietta Cook, of Osborne county, Kansas, by Governor Humphrey, after she had been confined in the state penitentiary for over thirteen years with the death sentence constantly hanging over her.

Mrs. Cook's husband died suddenly in 1866, shortly after she had procured strychnine from a neighbor, and as an examination of the dead man's stomach revealed the poison, she was arrested, convicted and sentenced to prison until the Governor should order her execution. It has recently become known that Cook used strychnine for bowel trouble, and this has resulted in her pardon.

HE REFUSED HER.

That's What Young Dobie of Toronto Did to His Lady Love.

Toronto, Sept. 5.—Dr. Dobie, a well known young doctor, formerly assistant surgeon at the hospital, was to-day served with a writ in an action for $10,000 damages for breach of promise of marriage to Miss Gokey.

The girl, who is a tall and stately blonde, and whose family live at Walkerton, Ontario, said: "About seven years ago I was engaged as a milliner for Dobie Bros., Wallaceburg, of which firm the defendant is a partner. We boarded at his brother's house together, and after keeping his company for a few months he asked me to be his wife. I consented, and was led to believe we would be married that fall."

However, Dobie came to Toronto to study medicine and she came here and went into a dry goods store. He promised to marry her as soon as he passed his examination. Her health failed; she thought a change of climate would do her good; he thought so too and she secured a situation in Miss Andrews' millinery store, Main street, Winnipeg. After she recovered her health she came back with the understanding that Dobie was to marry her, but he refused.

TIMES SPECIALS.

Land Subsidies to Railways—Dominion Labor Congress Opposed to them.

Corner Stone of a New Church Laid—Prominent Journalists in Canada.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Toronto, Sept. 5.—Sir Edwin Arnold, author of "The Light of Asia," and editor of the London *Daily Telegraph*, arrived here this evening.

AGAINST SUBSIDIES.

Montreal, Sept. 5.—The Dominion Labor Congress to-day passed a resolution that the system of subsidizing railways by land and money grants is detrimental to the interests of the country and this congress requests the government to discontinue the said practice.

ACTION FOR $10,000.

W. V. Perkes has taken action for damages against the Merchants Bank of Canada for $10,000 for alleged libel which he claimed was set up in an action in which the forgeries of his bookkeeper, Farwell, were concerned.

SUICIDE.

Kingston, Sept. 5.—James Boyle, a farm laborer, suicided in Rideau Canal while temporarily insane.

CORNER STONE LAID.

Toronto, Sept. 5.—The corner stone of the new Bloor street Presbyterian church was laid this afternoon by Rev. Dr. McLaren. The church will cost $60,000 when completed, and will seat twelve hundred people.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Business of the Usual Weekly Meeting Transacted Last Night.

The regular weekly meeting of the board of aldermen was held at the city hall last night. Present—His Worship, Mayor Grant, in the chair, and Aldermen Coughlan, McKillican, Harrison, Goodacre, Wilson, Kelly and Vigelius.

The routine business being completed, new work was commenced by reading the following

COMMUNICATIONS.

From W. G. Cameron, asking for permission to connect a drain with the Johnson street sewer. Request granted, subjected to usual conditions.

From Louis Willey, making same request, with like answer.

From James Pettinger, asking that Michigan street be graded and repaired near his house; also requesting that the city water be laid on. Referred to street and water committees for report.

From John Teague, on behalf of J. J. Southgate, in reference to a drain from the new block on Fort street. Referred to street committee for report.

From John Teague, asking that a sidewalk be laid in front of new brick block corner of Yates and Broad streets. Request granted.

From Chas Ireland, calling attention to obstruction across Coburg street, and asking why Young street got all the work done on the street to the exclusion of Coburg street. Referred to street committee for report.

It was shown that Young street was the property of the city while Coburg street was not. But it was also shown that if Coburg street had been registered for two years or more, it should be taken over by the city.

From G. W. Anderson in reference to a box drain on a lot fronting on King's Road. Referred to street committee for report.

From H. F. Heisterman & Co., drawing notice to the fact that Market and other streets, Work Estate, were ready to be handed over to the city and asking that steeds be prepared. To be instructed that the city will receive the deeds if the streets are in accordance with the bylaw.

From W. C. Ward in reference to purchase of lands in the Lake district. Referred to city barristers, who are to see that the conveyance is made.

From Hon. John Robson in reference to the granting of a 60 foot strip off the school reserve for street purposes, and stating that the government will be willing to make the grant. Received and the premier to be informed that the council will extend the street through, and that the proposition is accepted.

PETITIONS.

From sixteen residents near the park asking that a hydrant be placed in the vicinity of the band stand at the park. Referred to water committee.

From E. Spencer on behalf of the W. C. T. U., asking for pecuniary aid to the Refuge. Referred to finance committee.

ACCOUNTS.

Various accounts were passed for payment if correct, the total amounting to $5835.18.

WATERWORKS BY-LAW AMENDMENT.

A by-law to amend the waterworks by-law was read a first time.

REPORTS.

From the street committee in reference to certain work to be carried out on Douglas, Chatham and Yates Streets and Kings road. Adopted.

From the city surveyor in reference to the expiration of the time limit of a contract taken by Willis Bond to grade Secretary street. Received, and contractor to be notified to complete his work in ten days.

FIREMEN'S TAXES.

His Worship asked the council to consider the exemption of firemen from the payment of the municipal road tax. The fire wardens will attend to it.

FERNWOOD ROAD.

Ald. Coughlan suggested that Fernwood road be graded previous to laying of eight inch water pipe.

TENDERS

Tenders were opened for the gravelling of Henry and superior streets, and the grading of Dallas road.

For Superior street, contract let to Joe. Baker for $1160.

For Henry street, contract let to F. Macdonald for $306.

For Dallas road, contract let to Wm. Snyder for $300.

NEWSPAPER FILES.

A motion to purchase a number of files of newspapers extending back for several years, among them the government Gazette. Referred to the printing committee for report.

POWDER MAGAZINE.

The clerk of the board was instructed to jog the memory of the Dominion government in reference to the powder magazine at Beacon Hill.

His worship mentioned that the government had promised several months ago to take immediate action, and they should be willing to obey the law in these matters.

PAYMENT FOR PIPES.

Ald. Wilson moved, Ald. Vigelius seconded, that no checks be signed for payment of account for street pipe until the bill was approved of by the clerk of the water committee.

The water commissioner stated that the terms of the contract in reference to payment for work were to the effect that payments were to be made subject to his certificate, but he had withheld such cer-

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AN ALARMED ORGAN.

Why is the Colonist so eager to form a political party at the present time? Our contemporary proposes to organize a Tory or Conservative association, similar to the party associations of that name in the eastern provinces. Why? How does it happen that the present is an opportune time to introduce here the party machinery and the party spirit of the party-ridden east? Can it be possible that the spirit of independence abroad among the electors has attained such strength that the "organ" of the Dominion government begins to fear that the next general election may not be as favorable to the Ottawa government as in former times? While this is probably the case, we are nevertheless of the opinion that the organ has another and more potent reason for its solicitude for the so-called "Liberal Conservative" cause. The recent election in Victoria has demonstrated most clearly that the present local government will have to fight for its life, and that in all probability at the next general election, which will be held next summer, it will be swept out of existence. It is necessary, therefore, for those who live by and for the provincial government, to do something—it matters not how desperate or ridiculous—to bolster up the tottering concern, and if possible perpetuate for another four years the dying oligarchy now governing British Columbia. The Colonist hopes to so mix up Dominion issues with local issues that Robson may again be returned to power on the shoulders of Sir John Macdonald. The subterfuge, of course, is too thin to deceive very many, and the ridiculous attempt of the wire-pullers and party managers will come to naught. We advise every elector who values freedom of action to leave the hole-and-corner meeting severely alone.

THE COLUMBIAN.

The Columbian makes the announcement that with this month it is making important business changes, to wit, that the paper will be enlarged and subscription price reduced. This is a most acceptable combination so far as the public is concerned, and if increased size together with reduced rates has the effect to multiply circulation the alteration as a business proposition is a sound one. Notwithstanding that the Columbian and The Times are not agreed in matters of analogy appertaining to senile decay, and the Hon. John Robson, the latter journal extends its congratulations to "Honest John's" doughty champion, and sincerely trusts that the expansion it proposes will meet with a full measure of success; and that between it and its new contemporary we shall have an exhibition of journalistic enterprise as edifying to the province at large as to the locality from which they both derive countenance and support.

INTERVIEWING.

An exchange says that interviewing is a plant of slow growth in English journalism. It is, however, making greater progress there than with the British public in general. Probably neither press nor people will ever tolerate the system as developed in the United States. The representative of a Yankee paper tried to interview Mr. Justice Stephen on the Maybrick verdict. He called on the judge and gained admittance on the plea of having important business. The colloquy which ensued when he confronted the judge was something as follows: "Well, sir, what do you want?" Reporter—"Well, I guess I want to ask your lordship a few questions with reference to this Maybrick affair, which pop along can's not." Sir James Stephen just pointed to the door, and turning to the attendant said, "See he leaves by it," and the interviewer vanished like a streak of light. It need scarcely be remarked that the variety of interviewing above implied is not in vogue in the U. S. Interviewing like a good many other things the press on this continent is guilty of, is a feature for which the public is largely responsible. It is the result of a demand the same as the description of meretricious events, which are a feature of every metropolitan daily. The public will hear full descriptions of prize fights, divorce cases, hangings, etc., and public men like to be interviewed for public purposes. It is simply nonsense to hold the newspapers responsible for conditions which are forced upon them. The men who conduct newspapers have as keen a sense of the proper thing as any other class of professional men, judges included, but like all other men they must to a large extent conform to the requirements of the public taste. Whenever judges, lawyers, politicians, clergymen and business men give out that they have no desire to be interviewed, they can depend upon it the "wretched reporter" will be the last to complain. If newspaper men were permitted to consult their likes and dislikes they would have public men to write out their own interviews, and as to prize fights, hangings, prurient divorce cases, and other forms of popular literature, confine themselves to descriptions of the briefest and most sententious character.

GERMAN COLONIZATION.

One of the most interesting developments of the period, says the Empire, is the attempt of the Germans during the last few years "to promote the foundation and extension of national colonies and settlements." Prince Bismarck has laid down the following principles on which the preliminary action of Germany will be based: "All we aim at is to ensure access to Africa for German trade at points hitherto not subject to European powers;" "to extend to Germans, wherever settled, the protection of the Empire;" "to extend the protection of the Empire to German trading establishments founded on private initiation and at private risk against foreign avarice and interference." This, concludes the Empire, is sufficiently expressive of the determination of Germany to extend her dominions peaceably if she can, forcibly if need be, of which German troubles in Africa and Samoa furnish illustrious examples. We have our doubts as to whether German colonization will ever amount to anything under Imperial patronage. As between life as a colonist under German Imperialism, and life in the Fatherland the former offers no special attractions. The central idea of all colonists is a policy of their own, the managing of their own affairs. Colonies have never prospered which have been dominated over by the mother country. Even in the case of England, exemplifying as she does the most liberal form of government in the world, her colonies did not really begin to prosper until she practically gave them self government. While unquestionably England has fostered colonization with an eye to military contingencies, her paramount object has combined philanthropy and trade. The converse is the case with Germany. Whatever Bismarck may have to say about the extension of trade this is secondary, a foundation whereon to base Imperialism and standing armies. The insolence of this policy has led to the logical consequences of bloodshed and rapine. Until Germany is willing to concede to her colonies local self-government, as liberal as that which distinguishes the colonies of England, she will never succeed in making herself formidable as a colonizing nation.

RAPID TRANSIT.

What is the limit of attainable speed enquires the New York World, in travel and the transportation of goods? When railways were first introduced an enthusiast was gravely rebuked by an expert for venturing to predict that the new means of locomotion would ultimately permit the carriage of men and merchandise at the rate of twenty miles an hour. When sixty miles an hour was attained the miles so nicely fitted the minutes that the speed was accepted as a practical maximum, and for a generation past it has been considered so, being attained only on rare occasions and for short periods of time. Now inventors are confidently talking of new devices to attain rates of speed which fairly make the mind dizzy merely to imagine them. One man in Boston has a contrivance for which he claims 200 miles an hour. Another is exhibiting an invention at the Paris Exposition the capacity of which is estimated at nearly the same figure. And now comes the most astonishing inventor of all, one David G. Weems, who proposes to set up and run at Garden City, Long Island, a new device of his own which he says can make five miles a minute or 300 miles an hour with perfect ease and safety. All pretensions of this character must be received cautiously. The probability in every instance is that the project is visionary. But there is no natural and necessary barrier to the possibility of a very great increase of speed over the accepted maximum, which is only a maximum for tracks, rolling-stock and machinery as at present constructed. It is within the bounds of possibility that men of this generation will live to see some improved form of railroad by which a speed of 100 or even 200 miles an hour may be attained.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Wonders will never cease. A woman ran into the surf at Long Branch last Friday without removing any of her clothing. The village authorities arrested her on the charge of insanity.

Buffalo has 51 miles of asphalt pavement. This description of street material is growing in favor in both the old and new worlds. If properly laid it makes excellent streets and better sidewalks, but if the work is poorly done it is simply abominable.

Signs in New Brunswick point to a general election in that province early next year. The present parliament will expire by lapse of time during next summer, but the three vacancies in St. John, and the coming into force of the new election law in January next, will likely induce the provincial government to declare a dissolution. Premier Blair's chances of retaining office are pretty good.

The Welsh language is a rather difficult one to twist the tongue round, but the Queen tried it with success on the occasion of her recent tour through the principality. Her Majesty, it is related, captured the hearts of the people by memorizing and repeating, in pure Welsh, abounding in c's, l's and w's, the words for "I am very much obliged to you," and, on the presentation of her picture, the words for "It is extremely beautiful. How kind of you!"

The St. Louis reporter who enlisted in the United States army for the purpose of investigating the life of the common soldier, tells a startling story of cruelty practised by commissioned officers, and of the general bad quality of the rations. The story furnishes an explanation of the enormous number of desertions from the army, there having been 2842 during the year ending June 30, or more than 10 per cent. of the whole number in the army.

Immigration into the States continues to lessen. The figures for July just published by the Bureau of Statistics show a falling off in the aggregate when compared with July, 1888, of 8,072. For the seven months ending July 31, the falling off was 89,979. The fact is about all the good land in the States now open for settlement is held by railway and other speculators, and cannot be entered upon without payment of a good round sum.

In Madrid the principle of free trade has had a boom recently, consequent on the discovery that the mayor and aldermen of that old Spanish city have knocked down some $20,000,000 during the last four years by permitting, for a consideration, the evasion by smugglers of the octroi duties. The octroi is simply a local protective tariff which prevails largely in France and Spain, and exists chiefly in cities and villages. A tax is collected on every article brought for sale inside the city or village walls.

General Boulanger, like a great many noted men, is superstitious. He is careful not to get out of bed on the left side, and if his path is crossed by a black cat he does nothing of political importance for twenty-four hours. His followers recall that on the day of his sentence he recklessly went under a ladder in front of his house in Portland Place. It is rumored that he is a firm believer in palmistry, and takes stock in the words of a gypsy who examined his hand and told him that his chief ambition would one day be satisfied.

The other day the Pennsylvania railroad wanted a big iron bridge, 958 feet long and weighing 25,000 tons, moved from its place over Mill creek, near Lancaster, to a new site forty-five feet away. Master Carpenter Beard took the job. He had one hundred men to help him. He made his preparations leisurely, and when the last train had passed over the bridge, with his hundred men and his trestles, rollers, jacks, and cranes, he set to work. In just fifty-eight minutes from the time the work began the bridge was in its new place, and a freight train of such size as to require two locomotives was passing over it. Now the ancients couldn't have done that in the same time if they had had 10,000 men. In fact, they couldn't have built the bridge itself. What we know about iron and its uses and how to work it is worth more to the world than all the lost arts of all past ages combined.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

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TAKING THE INDIAN CENSUS.

To the Editor of the Times:

Sir,—Could any of your readers inform the public the object Indian Agent Todd has in view in numbering the Indians on the northwest coast at the present time? If done, it is important that it should approach some measure of correctness, by going from village to village any going to each house and taking down the names of all dwelling in the houses accompanied by some one who knows the people well. Mr. Todd's plan is to ask a man many miles from home to give the number of houses, value, names of the population, etc. It is impossible for an Indian to remember all, a white man could not do it of a white village of 400 inhabitants much less an Indian. But in one instance the agent called a half-witted man to give the information. No wonder that the agent's figures are worthless. For instance: He gives Masset, Q. C. Island, at something over 200, while the missionary of Masset has over 400 members on register and there are still those who do not belong to the church. And also, he gives the population of Port Simpson as 600, while it is well known that the real population is over 800, who can be named and found. But the singular part of the whole matter is, that although he did not take the trouble to find out the population of those and other villages, and so understand them all, he should find out the number of inhabitants of Metlakahtla to be 160. Of course there is a Bishop and his chaplains, and their families, the government officials, stipendiary magistrate, Indian agent, white constable, principal of industrial school, matron, etc. But to count all these you will not find more than 50, as the real population. If Mr. Todd makes a report it should be as correct as possible. The government must send a few more officials and boom the place a little more, before they get the required 160 population. Yours, Nonresident.

Skeena River, Aug. 26, 1889.

An Experienced Navigator.

The following appears in the Vancouver *News-Advertiser*: "There have been several changes in the officering of the steamer Premier recently. Captain Edwards has been succeeded by J. O'Rourke as steward. Mr. William Mitchell takes the place of McIvor, chief engineer, resigned, and Mr. Gilboy has been appointed first officer in place of Mr. Munroe, who recently took command of a sailing ship. Mr. Gilboy has had an experience which but few seamen have had. Some years ago he went alone in a small open boat from Victoria to Honolulu, and having successfully accomplished the voyage, undertook another one, the most adventurous in the history of seamanship, viz., a voyage in a 16 foot boat from San Francisco to Australia. This he undertook alone, and after undergoing untold hardships, occupying 160 days in the perilous trip, reached his destination. The following four months he spent in the hospital. The boat in which the journey was taken was afterwards on exhibition in San Francisco."

Chinese and the Shooting Iron.

On Sunday afternoon a shooting affray occurred at Ladner's Landing among some Chinamen which will probably result in the death of the man shot. Joe Lee, a Chinaman of very bad temper, got into a dispute with Ah Yen over a small debt which Joe Lee claimed that Ah Yen owed him. Ah Yen denied the debt and refused to pay. In the dispute that took place at Ah Yen's house, quite a number of Chinamen took part; finally, to settle matters, Joe Lee drew a revolver and fired several shots at Ah Yen. One of the shots took effect, entering Ah Yen's stomach and passing downwards lodged at the back of the thigh. Ah Yen fell to the floor, and Joe Lee fired four shots at him without effect. Joe Lee then tried to commit suicide, but did not succeed, although he cut himself severely. The whole crowd were arrested by Constable Kirkland and taken to New Westminster.

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NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS ARE WARNED THAT Samuel Greer has no right or title to any portion of

LOT 526, GROUP 2,

New Westminster District, and any sales purporting to be made by him of any portion of the said lot, will be void.

For { Donald A. Harris, / R. B. Angus.

J. M. BROWNING, Commissioner

Vancouver, July 25, 1889. jy26-1m

PROCLAMATION.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT CHANCELLOR Browning, Commissioner for the G. P. R., has this, the 26th day of July, 1889, issued a proclamation warning all persons from purchasing lots from Samuel Greer in Lot 526, Group One. Now, may it please Your Lordship, I have never offered for sale any lots in said Lot 526, for that would be deception on the public, as the highest legal authority in British Columbia pronounced the title to that lot straw—not one cent as consideration having been given. Now, if Your Lordship will adjust your wig and recover from your deep studies of Blackstone and the laws of estoppal, you will be able to see that the four Judges who threw out Your Lordship's proclamation were fully able to comprehend the difference between 526 and Pre-emption Record 1008, this being the Honourable Numbers of my land on English Bay. Come down and see us. I have a few corner lots (with a smattering of coal) yet left. I mean to sell, and the public will persist in buying them, notwithstanding Your Lordship's decision. Things will move just the same at English Bay.

All parties are hereby warned that Angus and Smith have no title to Lot 526 till confirmed by the Legislature, and all sales will be void.

SAMUEL GREER.

Vancouver, July, 29. jy31-1m

MUNICIPAL.

COURT OF REVISION.

THE COURT OF REVISION WILL meet at the City Hall on Monday, the 23rd day of September, prox., at 11 a.m.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk.

City Hall, August 22nd, 1889. a22 C. M. C.

MUNICIPAL.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE City Hall until 4 p.m. on the 4th day of September, for the grading of Dallas Road from Menzies street to Park boundary.

Specifications may be seen at the City Surveyor's Office.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Hall, August 22nd, 1889. aug22

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51 to 55 FORT STREET. jy10

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 30 DAYS after date I intend applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease the following described lands in Renfrew district:

Commencing at a stake on Juan de Fuca Strait, situated between Muir Creek and Sheringham Point; running north 100 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence south 120 chains to the shore; thence along the shore to the place of commencement.

No. 2.—Commencing at a stake, northwest corner of A. P. Bliss's claim; thence north 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 160 chains to San Juan Harbor; thence south along shore of San Juan Harbor to Juan de Fuca Strait; thence along shore to A. P. Bliss's claim; thence north to point of commencement. W. F. SAYWARD.

Victoria, July 31st, 1889. aug15-1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 30 DAYS after date I intend applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease the following described lands, in Bayward District:

Commencing at a stake west from Ross & McLaren's claim on Campbell Lake; thence west 400 chains; thence north 400 chains; thence east 400 chains; thence south 400 chains, to place of commencement. W. F. SAYWARD.

August 10th, 1889. aug16-1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands, situated on and near Graham Island, Queen Charlotte Sound, viz.:

The whole of Berry Island, situated near the outlet of the Honna River in Skidegate Inlet, containing 95 acres more or less. Also a small island a short distance east of the outlet of the Honna River, containing 25 acres more or less. Also 320 acres more or less at the outlet of the Honna River and described as follows: Commencing at a post on the shore at southwest corner of claim; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south to the shore, and along the shore to the point of commencement. D. FREEMAN.

August 22nd, 1889. aug22-1m

NOTICE.

ANY PERSON IN POSSESSION OF THE Will of the late James Ward, of Cook street, Victoria, will oblige by communicating with the undersigned. J. ROLAND HETT, Barrister-at-Law.

25th June, 1889. tu28

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Magistrates for the City of Victoria, for a hotel license, to sell wines, spirits and malt liquors, on the premises at the corner of Douglas street and Queen's avenue.

JOHN McCARTHY.

Victoria, August 12th, 1889. aug17

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED will not be responsible for any debts contracted by his name without his written order after 20th June.

THOMAS MATHEWS.

Victoria, B. C.

June 20.

NOTICE.

MR. ALEXANDER K. MUNRO HAS BEEN admitted as a full partner in the Victoria Machinery Depot from the 20th day of May, 1889. The business will be carried on as heretofore under the firm name of Spratt & Gray.

ANDREW GRAY.
GEO. W. HAYNES.

Executor and Trustee under will of Joseph Spratt, deceased. jy22

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Magistrates for the City of Victoria, for a hotel license, to sell wines, spirits and malt liquors, on the premises known as the Dominion Hotel, 32 Yates street.

S. JONES, Jr.

Victoria, Aug. 9th, 1889. aug9

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Certificate of Incorporation.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, HEREBY CERTIFY that we desire to form, under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1878," (Provincial), and amending Acts, a Company as hereinafter mentioned.

1. The corporate name of the Company shall be "The Pacific Shoe and Leather Company, Limited Liability."

2. The objects for which the Company is formed are:—To conduct a general tanning, leather, boot and shoe manufacturing business, and to carry on a general trading business, and to purchase and hold and sell real and personal estate for the purposes of the Company, and generally the doing of such acts as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the objects of the Company.

3. The amount of the capital stock of the Company shall be one hundred thousand dollars, divided into one thousand shares of one hundred dollars each.

4. The time of the existence of the Company shall be thirty years.

5. The number of the Trustees shall be three, and their names are William Smyth, Stephen Fulton Kelintoh, and Arthur Heathorn, who shall manage the affairs for the first three months.

6. The principal place of business of the Company shall be in the City of Victoria.

7. A stockholder shall not be individually liable for the debts or liabilities of the Company, but the liability of a stockholder shall be limited to his proportion (based upon the amount of his respective shares) to assessments legally levied, and the charges thereon, if advertised as delinquent during the time that he is a shareholder, upon a share or shares of which he is the holder, as shown by the stockholders' register book of the Company; assessments and charges thereon, when taken collectively, shall not exceed in the aggregate the value in dollars printed or shown upon each share when issued.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals at the City of Victoria aforesaid, the 15th day of August, A. D. 1889.

WM. SMYTH.
R. F. McNAGHT.
A. HEATHORN.

Signed, sealed and delivered and acknowledged by the said William Smyth, Stephen Fulton Kelintoh and Arthur Heathorn in the presence of H. DALLAS HELMCKEN, Notary Public, B. C.

Filed (in duplicate) 15th August, 1889.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

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British Columbia Milling & Mining

COMPANY (Limited).

LOCATION OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS, VICTORIA
LOCATION OF WORKS, CARIBOO

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT CALL No. 20, of one cent. per share, upon the members of the British Columbia Milling and Mining Company (Limited), made on the eighteenth day of December, A. D. 1888, is now due and unpaid in respect of the shares herein after specified, and that there is now due and unpaid upon the following described shares, on account of the said assessment, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective holders of such shares, namely:—

	No. of Certificate.	No. of Shares.	Amount
Annie Covington	129	10	$ 10
George A. Dearden	1131	500	5 00
Thomas Ewyn	1169	200	2 00
Sarah A. Maclure	1021	25	25
Martha Rhodes	124	10	10
Emily Rhodes	125	10	10
J. Judson Young	A999	100	1 00

The above mentioned shares, or so many thereof as will cover the amount due, with interest at the rate of one per cent. per month from the eleventh day of February, A. D. 1889, and expenses, will be sold by public auction at the office of the said Company, in the city of Victoria, British Columbia, on Saturday, the 10th day of August, 1889, at the hour of twelve o'clock at noon.

By order of the Board.

GEORGE A. SARGISON, Secretary.

Dated at Victoria, the 29th day of July, 1889. jy30

BRITISH COLUMBIA

Milling & Mining Company

(LIMITED.)

ASSESSMENT No. 21.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AN assessment of one cent. per share has been levied upon the members of the above-named Company, payable at the Company's office in Victoria, British Columbia, on or before the 20th day of August, 1889, from and after which date all certificates and shares on which the said call shall then remain unpaid and unsatisfied shall be deemed delinquent, subject to interest and costs, and will be dealt with according to law.

Victoria, 12th August, 1889.

By order of the Board,

GEO. A. SARGISON, Secretary.

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"Land Registry Act."

BLOCK I, WORK ESTATE, LOT No. 437, R.M. of Lot No. 425, parts of Lot No. 306A and also Lot 306A, Victoria City. And the whole of Lot 2½ of Suburban Lot No 32, Esquimalt district.

Certificates of Indefeasa le title to the above hereditaments will be issued to Roderick Finlayson, on the 28th day of September, 1889, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said hereditaments or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General of Land Titles.

Land Registry Office,
27th June, 1889. jy28-3m

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Also $60,000 issued by authority of the "$60,000 Waterworks Loan By-Law, 1889."

Also $25,000 issued by authority of the "Pleasure Grounds Loan By-Law, 1889."

Also $15,000 issued by authority of the "Fire Department By-Law, 1889."

Will be received up to Wednesday, the 28th day of August, inst., at 4 p.m., at the office of the undersigned.

The Corporation do not bind themselves to accept any tender.

By order

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City Hall, August 13th 1889. aug13-td

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THE PUBLIC IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that from and after this date the Bridge across Rock Bay will be closed for traffic, and also the road in front of Lady Douglas' residence, until further notice.

By order of the Municipal Council,

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THE GRATEFUL GOBLIN.

Nick Nickson was a woodchopper.

He had lived close to the forest for many years with his wife and children, it was seldom Nick went to town or anywhere else, because he had a great deal of work to do to keep his family alive. Wood hewing never was much of a paying business, and Nick found it no better. But he never complained. He did the best he could in the best manner, and for the rest he trusted to a kind Providence to assist him and his wife and children.

Nick had now been going into the woods for twenty-five years, and as he was walking along this morning he was thinking of that fact more than once. "I have worked very hard," he muttered to himself as he stopped before a beautiful young oak tree ready to take off his jacket and start operations. "I have worked very hard," he said again, "and I think I ought to be pensioned off soon. But I don't think there is much chance. Where should I get the money to keep my folks at home without work? But there, it is no use growling now on the day of my twenty-fifth anniversary in the wood chopping line. Providence has stood by me so long, and I don't think I shall be forgotten in the future. Do your duty with all your might, with all your strength, with all your ability, and with an unwearying spirit of energy and perseverance; that is my motto, and success is bound to follow some time or other."

By this time Nick had taken his top coat off and laid it and his hat down in the long grass. Then he took his ax in his hands, and after looking at the tree from its base to its crown he gave the first blow. Thick splinters flew in all directions, and Nick dropped his ax and jumped back from the tree.

"What is the matter?" he said; "did I not hear a noise somewhere like the whining of a child?"

He stood and listened for a few moments, but all seemed to be quiet. Then he resumed his task. But he had only made one more blow at the tree when he was stopped again. This time he heard these words: "Get me out! Get me out!"

"Who is it that calls there?" Nick asked, who was not in the least afraid.

"It is I, the goblin of Blinkingdale!" a thin voice replied.

"But where are you to be found?"

"I am in the oak you have been hewing at, and I hallooed out because I was afraid you might kill me."

"Well, tell me where I ought to strike in order to extricate you without doing you any bodily harm," replied Nick Nickson.

"The ax is too big and too sharp altogether," now said the voice from the tree; "take your pocket knife and start cutting the bark about two feet from the ground. But be very careful or you will hurt me."

Nick now took his knife and he began cutting the bark. Piece by piece flew out, until at last he got to a hollow space, when the voice in the tree let out a shriek that was so loud and terrible all the trees in the wood seemed to be shaken by it.

"Now you have cut my beard, you old villain of a woodchopper," cried the goblin. "Oh, I will kill you if you are not careful."

Poor Nick trembled with fear, because he had often heard of goblins and their cruelty to people. But he soon realized that he was yet master of the situation, and he need not be afraid of the goblin.

"Look here, Mr. Goblin," said Nick, "if you mean to kill me when you get out, I think I will leave you where you are and go home. Good-by."

"For gracious sake, don't do that, my good man, so hallooed the goblin; "I did not mean what I said then, but you did hurt me, and no mistake. But be careful of my beard; it is very long, and it hurts very much if you pull only one of the hairs out. Now I will tell you something else. If you get me out without doing me any more harm I will give you a great reward, and make you the richest man in the world."

"How did you get into that tree?" asked Nick of the goblin.

"To tell you that would be a very long story to relate. Be it sufficient for you to know that I have been in that tree twenty-five years today. You have got me out of my long imprisonment, and I will give you a reward when the time comes."

With the last word the goblin had vanished.

"Well, but where is my reward?" cried Nick. "It is all very well to say I shall have it when the time comes, but when will that be? Oh, you mean little scamp of a goblin, to get me first to extricate you from an oak tree, where you were buried for twenty-five years, and then to run away from me because you are too stingy to thank me for it. Ah! this is an ungrateful, cruel world. Just when I thought that I was to be made rich, too. Ah, well! never mind; let me continue at my work of wood chopping, but I will be careful not to have any more to do with goblins."

Nick now worked away with his ax in a mad humor. He struck the trunk of the oak with terrific force. It seemed to satisfy his anger, because he imagined every time the ax hit the tree he was hurting the little goblin. In a few moments the roots of the tree lay bare, and behold! what did Nick find? At the very base of the oak he saw a little black ebony box. He picked it up and he noticed there was no lock to it.

On the top was written the two words: "Open me!" But the words were spelled backward, and when Nick looked at them it read in his mind: "em nepO!" Nick never had been very sharp in book learning, and it never struck him to try and make some sense out of the words "em nepO." He saw that he did not know what it meant and he did not trouble any more. When he went home he took the box along with him, thinking it would make a toy for one of his children.

Arrived at his little cottage he found one of his neighbors sitting on the doorstep. Nick showed him the little black box, told him where he found it and related to him his adventure with the goblin. The neighbor was a pretty shrewd old man, and no sooner had he looked at the handwriting on the box when he knew what it meant. He had read it backward. But he never said so to Nick. When he went home he quietly put the box in his pocket. Nick did not notice it. He was too honest himself to suppose any one else a thief.

When the neighbor got into his cottage he immediately got a chisel and a hammer and smashed the box open. Inside he found a piece of paper, which was wrapped around a tiny little silver key. On the paper he read these lines:

In the forest by the brook,
Where the silver maple grows,
You will find a little nook
That with solid silver flows.

These lines were signed, "Your Grateful Goblin."

The man at once understood all. He knew where the box came from, and he knew that the goblin who had been in the oak had intended this for Nick. "Nick is a fool," the man said to himself. "I am going to lift the treasure. Why did he not keep the box for himself?"

He accordingly went into the forest. He found the little nook, just as he was told, beside the silver maple tree. Examining the ground, he noticed a tiny keyhole. He had already put the key into the hole; he turned it around, and he saw the shining silver in the nook, when his hand was suddenly arrested by the goblin.

"You are not the man who liberated me from the oak tree," said the little man.

The thief then had to confess that he got hold of the box because his neighbor Nick could not read backward.

"Well, you had no business to be a thief, and you certainly had no right to take that box which did not belong to you."

"I am sorry," replied the man; "if you will forgive me I will go home and tell Nickson all about this silver treasure, and he can come and get it himself."

"No, there is no necessity for that. Anyhow, I do not believe you would keep your word. But now that you have found this silver treasure, take it and carry it to your home; it shall be yours." Then the goblin vanished.

The man at once began to fill his pockets with silver. When they were filled he took his cap, then his handkerchief, then he took off his coat and used it as a bag. But when all were filled he could not carry the load; it was too heavy. So he had to leave some behind. He hurried home and gave the silver to his wife, then he took a wheelbarrow and returned to the work by the brook. He loaded the wheelbarrow to its utmost capacity before he left for home. On his way to his cottage, however, he had to cross a small bridge which led over a stream, and when he was in the center of this bridge the boards broke under him, and the wheelbarrow, the silver and the man fell down into the deep. The load had been too heavy. The man was too greedy; he wanted too much, and now he was drowned and he had nothing at all. It was fortunate for his wife and children that he had brought some of the treasure home, and they were saved from starvation.

Now we will return to Nick Nickson, the woodchopper. He never missed the little black box at all. Next morning he returned to the forest and worked away at chopping down trees as hard as ever. Sometimes he would think about the goblin, and then Nick would murmur: "The world is very ungrateful. The next goblin I find in a tree has to stay there for all I care."

After he had chopped down one tree he was astonished to find again a little black box at the roots. He picked it up again, and on the top these words could be read again: "Open me." But this time the writing was straight, and not backward; so Nick read it at once, and, of course, understood.

"Open you! All right, that is easily done." He put the box on the ground, took his ax, hit it one stroke and the box was smashed. Inside Nick found a piece of paper wound around a beautiful golden key of the finest workmanship. Nick took the paper and, looking at it close, he saw that it contained the following verse:

At the castle on the mount
Is a golden treasure,
Where golden rod is often found
Waiting for your measure.

The slip of paper was signed: "The Grateful Goblin." Nick looked at the writing long and intently. "Well," he said, at last, "I will at once go and find out whether that goblin has played another trick on me. I might as well be fooled twice as once."

He immediately ran toward the mountain, which stood not far into the forest. Arrived there he climbed up the steep ascent, and when he got to the walls of the castle he walked all around until he found the yellow golden rod growing everywhere. Then he examined the wall. In a moment he noticed a small hole in the wall, which seemed to have been made for his golden key. Putting it in the hole and turning round was done in a second. Nick already beheld the glittering mass of shining gold before him when the goblin appeared.

"So here you are, then," he said to Nick; "so you did not give the box away this time. Why did you not keep the other?"

Nick explained to the goblin that he did not know what the box contained.

"Why did you not open it?"

"I don't know."

"Well, your neighbor did, though, and he got a silver treasure. But I punished him before he was able to enjoy it, and he is now dead in the stream. Now, look here, Nick, you fancied that I did not mean to give you your reward as promised."

"Well, it looked like it, did it not?"

"Looked like it has nothing to do with it. You should have trusted me, and have a little patience. However, you are a pretty good fellow, Nick, and now here is your treasure. Enjoy it with your wife and children, live long and be happy; good-by, and remember sometimes the Grateful Goblin."

Nick was now alone with his treasure. He took a good lot home with him, and he and his dear ones lived in the future as happy as happy can be.—Globe-Democrat.

Contagious Diseases.

The French government has made a grant of $25,000 a year to defray the expenses of the Pasteur Institute, in Paris, the cost of founding which—several hundred thousand dollars—was contributed by various governments and private individuals. The purpose of this institute is, as all know, the prosecution of experimental research with a view to the cure of hydrophobia—in any country a very rare disease. Diphtheria, scarlet fever, typhoid fever, measles, yellow fever, cholera and other preventable diseases, on the other hand, count their victims by thousands; yet there is in no country a special establishment in which any one of them can be scientifically studied, and better means arrived at for their prevention or their cure, and arrest from spreading. All contagious diseases are preventable. For their development two things are required: First, the special germ which produces them; second, suitable bodily conditions to allow it to flourish.

If we could destroy their germs, they would cease. But to do this would necessitate universal co-operation on the part of all individuals in the community, which is practically impossible. The better way is to secure such bodily conditions as will prevent their development. The success that has attended vaccination for smallpox, and is now attending vaccination for hydrophobia, points to the likelihood of achieving thisby some process of vaccination for diphtheria, typhoid fever, scarlet fever, etc. Why will not some large minded and philanthropic person or persons endow an institute or institutes in this country, as individuals and governments have done in France, for the purpose of studying these more fatal and common diseases, which kill their tens of thousands where hydrophobia carries off a single case? In so good and eminently practical a work America should not lag behind.—Boston Herald.

To "Waterproof" Hammocks.

Hammocks that are allowed to hang out most of the time are soon rotted by the action of the weather. It is said that they may be made "waterproof" by immersing in boiling linseed oil and leaving them in it for a day or two. Then with a cloth rub off all the oil possible, and when the wetting is dried it will last much longer than it otherwise would.

PAINTING SCENERY.

How Stage Pictures Are Designed, Made Up and Put Into Place.

Very few of the more recently built theatres have painting rooms that any one who values health and sight would care to paint in; hence any painting that has to be done is painted outside in rooms specially built and fitted with all the necessary apparatus for raising the scenery and stretching the large canvases. There are three very fine rooms in the older theatres—Covent Garden, Drury Lane, and Her Majesty's (the latter for some reason is the most agreeable to paint in of the three, as there is no thoroughfare through it; across Covent Garden and Drury Lane rooms workers in other departments have a right of way). The room at Covent Garden is of vast proportions (90 feet long by 30 feet wide, and about 55 feet high), and possesses four separate stretching frames—the largest 42 feet by 70 feet. This enormous stretcher is worked up and down by means of a very powerful windlass with multiplying gear, and hung by iron chains. The canvas to cover such a frame would cost about £15 with the sewing. The physical strain in covering so large a surface, and in walking backward and forward from one end of the room to the other to judge of the effect, is exceedingly severe. The present arrangements in England are a great advancement upon the older method of spreading the canvas out upon the floor, and painting it standing up with long handled brushes reaching to the ground. Scenery in France, and on the continent generally, is still painted so; in the old "Her Majesty's" the painting was done on the floor over the auditorium.

The income of the most successful scene painter is certainly very much smaller than that of a very second rate cabinet picture painter, or even of a tolerably successful draughtsman for the chief illustrated journals. Yet, considering the amount each scenic picture costs the management—for it must be borne in mind that the frame maker, the canvas and the scene setter are all included in the cost of the picture—it will be readily understood that the scenic picture would not amount to less than the work of a highly successful picture painter. Thus a heavy "set" at Covent Garden or Drury Lane would cost £700 or £800, and at other theatres in proportion, according to their size.

When the scene painter receives his commission from the manager, he receives with it some sort of particulars of what is wanted. Some managers can graphically illustrate their requirements; others, not possessing this happy faculty, give the key to the idea and requirements of the situation by word of mouth. Others can only explain the situations and "practicabilities," leaving the artist absolutely free handed, reserving to themselves the right of alteration when they have a tangibility before them either in the scene itself or in the model. But, when all is said, the material generally furnished us is of the slightest.

The most satisfactory way to proceed is to spend time on the model (which is a representation of the stage to scale), and thoroughly to understand from it what you propose doing—not only the "practicabilities," but also your composition, color and scheme of lighting. Any alterations considered necessary are then easy to make. The uninitiated in affairs theatrical would be greatly amused to see the collection of miscellaneous articles in modeling that are scattered around us—bits of silk, gelatine, tissue papers, muslin, coal, birch brooms, plaster of Paris, books, sticks and the indispensable glue pot, photographs, tools, color box and scissors. With coal and plaster we create our mimic rocks and beetling crags; from selected portions of the broom, dipped in and modeled with plaster, we construct our trees, clothe in verdure our hillsides; and with silk, colored gelatines, etc., we make our atmosphere, and night or day is according to the density and color of the medium in which we clothe it. Over a ledge of rock pours a torrent of floss silk; the more distant portions, of course, are painted. The books, photographs, sketches and print furnish us with our authorities for detail.

The model completed, after being duly inspected and approved by the management, the master carpenter comes to see it with respect to the construction of it mechanically, and to hear your suggestions as to setting and striking it in something like reasonable time. When all is understood he traces the various portions of the model, and from the duplicates constructs the actual scene, one foot to every half inch of the model. A few days after, almost acres of framework and bales of canvas are brought in; one great surface is stretched on the frame, and, having been duly prepared, upon it you first start—this generally represents the back portions of the scene. Then you paint the different pieces in order till you arrive at the foreground, gaining in strength as you advance. Then for a day or two the stage is given up entirely to the artist for the scene to be set and lighted. This setting is the most anxious time of all, and the most experienced of us cannot help asking himself, How will it come together? At last, after dawdling about perhaps from 9 in the morning until 9 at night, the "setting" is begun, and if happily it comes well and quickly together, the artist may proceed at once to "light" it. The best scene ever designed and painted can be ruined by injudicious lighting; for the illumination is the last and most important touch to the picture—its very life.—Wm. Telbin in Magazine of Art.

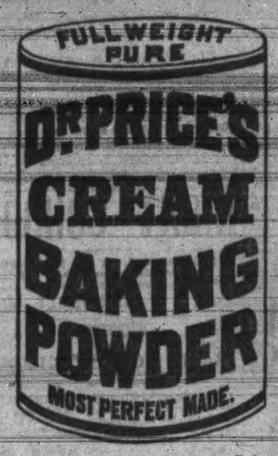
Burned at the Stake.

What a little way we are, after all, from the dark ages! How many of my readers are aware that it is only 100 years this month since the last criminal was burned at the stake in London—and that criminal a woman? Here is the account of that event which a correspondent has sent me: "On the 18th of March, 1786, nine wretches were executed at Newgate—four for burglary, one for theft and three men and one woman for coining. After the men were 'turned off,' as the phrase went, the wretched woman was brought out, tied to a stake, and burned to ashes, after the form of strangling her had been gone through by removing the stool whereon she stood and so throwing her weight on the cord which bound her throat to the stake. Christian Murphy was (so far as I can discover) the last woman burned alive in London, though possibly a less victim may have been executed in some country town."—London Truth.

The Most Valuable Metal.

"If I gave you a pound of metal and ordered you to make the most out of it, what kind of metal would you select?" asked a well known jeweler. "Gold, of course," was the prompt reply. "I'd prefer a pound of steel," said the jeweler, "and I'd have it made into hair springs for watches. A pound of such springs would sell for an even $140,000."—Buffalo Express.

—The *National Gazette* says that nine-tenths of all disasters at sea occur in the second mate's watch, and it concludes that a very large proportion of officers of that grade are incompetent or unreliable. It suggests that second mates should be examined and licensed just as their superior officers are.



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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following lands in Queen Charlotte District, viz:—

1. A small island called Goat Island, situate in Skidegate Inlet, and lying south of Shuttle Bay, containing 37 acres, more or less.

2. 1280 acres lying west of the old Seymour Coal Claim, on Skidegate Bay, commencing at the northwest corner post of the said claim; thence south 80 chains, thence west 160 chains, more or less, to Rose Creek; thence north to the shore of Skidegate Bay; thence following the shore line to the point of commencement.

Dated at Victoria, this 31st day of July, 1889.
ALFRED FELL,
JAMES DEANS.
aug1-2&w-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we intend making application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land, situated on Rivers Inlet, B.C. Commencing at a post marked "M.H.C." and "G.C.S." about half-way between the Wannuck Cannery and Kildalla river (near Little Round Mountain); thence nearly north 40 chains; thence nearly east 40 chains; thence nearly south 40 chains to shore line; thence following the meandrings of the shore to point of commencement.

M. H. COWAN
G. C. SHAW.
Victoria, August 19th, 1889. au21-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT 60 DAYS from date I intend applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land in the Rupert district described as follows: Commencing at the southwest corner of the Indian Reserve at the mouth of the Nimkish River; thence westerly 440 yards; thence north 1760 yards; thence east 440 yards; thence along the margin of the reserve to place of commencement.

ALFRED J. HALL.
August 8th, 1889. aug12

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situated at Rivers Inlet, described as follows: Commencing about ten miles below Hans Helgesen's Fishery at Goskinche, at a stake marked A, thence running west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains to point of commencement. Staked March 10th, 1889.

ALEX. McBRIDE.
Wannuck, Rivers Inlet, July 25, 1889. au2-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease, for timbering purposes, of the following described lands:

Tract No. 1.—Commencing about two miles east of Grassie Point, Valdes Island, on the south side of the unsurveyed channel, running south 100 chains; east 100 chains; south 100 chains; east 160 chains to a bay on unsurveyed channel; thence north 200 chains along the shore line; thence west along the shore line 360 chains to place of commencement.

Tract No. 2.—Starting on the north side of unsurveyed channel about twenty-five chains east of Discovery Passage; thence running 60 chains west; 100 chains north; 100 chains east; 40 chains south to the shore; thence along shore to place of commencement.

Tract No. 3.—Starting on the north side of unsurveyed channel, running 20 chains north; west 60 chains; south 60 chains; east along shore 80 chains to point of commencement.

Tract No. 4.—Commencing on a bay running 20 chains north; east 20 chains; north 40 chains; west 40 chains; south 20 chains to the shore line; north-westerly along the shore to point of commencement.

Tract No. 5.—On a bay on the south side of the unsurveyed channel, running 32 chains south; 20 chains east; 40 chains south; 60 chains east; 60 chains to the shore line; west along the shore line to point of commencement.

Victoria, June 14th, 1889. jel21-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase the following islands situate on the north side of Lasqueti Island, Gulf of Georgia:

Two small islands to the north of Section 28 on Lasqueti Island, containing 50 acres, more or less.

One small island to the north of Section 21, containing 20 acres, more or less.

Two small islands in Tucker Bay, containing 10 acres, more or less.

MORRIS MOSS.
jy17

WE, the undersigned, hereby give notice that 60 days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situated as follows:—Commencing at a stake placed at West Entrance Point, Hesquiot Harbor, west coast Vancouver Island, thence running one mile in a northerly direction along beach to stake No. 2, thence westerly one mile to stake No. 3, thence southerly one mile to stake No. 4, thence easterly one mile to point of commencement.

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Hesquiot, March 7th, 1889. jel7

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Magistrates for the City of Victoria, for a hotel license to sell wines, spirits and malt liquors, on the premises on Government street, known as the Delmonico Restaurant.

E. ESCALET.
Victoria, Aug. 2, 1889. a24d

NOTICE.

SIXTY DAYS AFTER DATE I INTEND TO make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 160 acres of land near McLaughlin Bay on the east coast of Campbell Island, B. C., described as follows: Beginning at the S. E. post of the Hudson Bay Co.'s claim, thence 20 chains west; thence south 80 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence following the shore line to the point of commencement. JOSEPH HALL.
Nanaimo, July 24, 1889. jy30 2m

NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

BETWEEN
JOSEPH BOSCOWITZ, Plaintiff,
AND
JAMES WARREN, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN Order has been made in the above entitled action, by the Hon. Sir Matthew B. Begbie, C. J., appointing James C. Provost Receiver of all the Estate and Effects of the above named defendant, to take possession of the real estate and receive and collect the personal estate, and to manage and conduct his business, and to restrain the defendant and all other persons from interfering with him as such Receiver.

JAMES C. PROVOST.
Dated, Victoria, February 15th, 1889. m16

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R. S. RODERICK, Secretary.

COLUMBIA ROYAL ARCH Chapter, No. 15, R. R. R.—Regular convocations held on the first Tuesday of every month, at Chapter Hall Masonic Temple, Douglas Street. Sojourning companions cordially invited.
jel 1y W. J. QUINLAN, Scribe E.

FAR WEST LODGE, No. 1, K. of P.—Regular convention every Friday evening at Foresters' Hall, Government street. Sojourning Knights are cordially invited to attend.
B. H. JOHN, K. of R. & S. oct9

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LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

News of the City and Province Briefly Told.

—Ice Cream at Sipple's. *

—Zylonite collars and cuffs at Daley's, 111 Government street. *

—The bark Hustside has finished discharging that famous cargo of coal.

—Largest stock of house furnishing goods in the province at John Weiler's. *

—A profusion of graniteware at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates street. *

—Fruit jars and jelly glasses in any quantity, all sizes, at John Weiler's. *

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—A day's sports for the men of C Battery is being arranged to take place at Beacon Hill shortly.

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—Campbell & Simpkins, No. 88 Government street, have received their fall goods. Go and see for yourselves. *

—The meeting of the Victoria Athletic club which was to have been held this evening has been postponed till the 12th.

—The members of the Sir William Wallace society have decided to give their first concert on the 8th of October.

—There is much activity on the wharves where the salmon fleet is loading. The bark Doris Broderson will be the first to sail.

—The box drain at the end of Yates street has been carried out into the salt water and the wharf officials are now satisfied.

—J. Anderson, Third street, has apples growing in his garden measuring fourteen inches one way and thirteen inches the other; regular beauties.

—Just arrived at Hastie & Lockhart's a large consignment of the very latest designs in Linoleums, Carpets and Mattings. Call before purchasing elsewhere 62 Government street. *

—Large consignments of butter and eggs have been received in the city during the last few days. A novel consignment was several hundred dozens of eggs from Fremont Nebraska.

—Hugh M. Wright, the Seattle marble dealer, well known in this city, was held up by footpads in Seattle on Tuesday night. The robbers were frightened away without securing any booty.

—Forty-three sacks of seal skins, weighing 4935 lbs., the catch of the sealing schooner Lottie, were brought over from Port Townsend on the Olympian consigned to an Indian named Claplanho of this city.

—The captain of a foreign ship in these waters is so bitter against certain naval officers, that he refused this morning to ride in the same stage with one. The incident was noticed by several and commented upon.

—Mr. B. Raper, of Nanaimo, has received word by mail of the death of his youngest sister, Mrs. C. Geldard, who resided in Nanaimo some fifteen years ago. She died at her home Parsonage View, Leeds, Yorkshire, on the 6th ultimo, aged 58 years.

The following officers of the choral society were appointed last evening: President, Mr. Geo. Jay; vice-president, Mr. Robson; secretary, Mr. E. Mallandaine; teacher, Dr. Verrinder. A vote of thanks to the retiring officers and to Messrs. Goodwin & Jordan for the use of their rooms terminated the proceedings.

JOHN AND THE BULL.

There was a man named Robson,
And a bull he penetrated;
'Twas at the sailors meeting,
And the facts are so related;

That Johnny, bubbling o'er with pride
And much inborn pomposity,
Got off this very awful bit
Of palpable monstrosity:

"The Yanks," he said, "may they be cussed,
They and their sons and daughters;
Too long they've trailed our flag in DUST
Upon these western WATERS."

Then Johnny he resumed his seat,
And didn't know at all
What everyone was laughing at
Within that crowded hall.

POLICE COURT.

[Before Hon. A. N. Richards, Q. C.]

Charles Rome, charged with stealing a pair of spectacles, the property of David James, valued at $7. Sentenced to six month with hard labor.

George Macaulay, charged with conniving at supplying an Indian with an intoxicant. Adjourned till to-morrow.

Three Indians for being drunk were each fined $5.

Mary, an Indian woman, found with liquor in her possession. Chief Sheppard said the woman has no means and is unwell and asked to have the case dismissed which was so directed by the court.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of Movements of Well Known Persons.

Hon. P. O'Reilly and Ven. Archdeacon Scriven were among the arrivals by the Vancouver boat last evening.

Dr. Lewis Hall and his bride returned home last evening, having spent their honeymoon very pleasantly in San Francisco.

J. Sayyea, a well known mining man, came down by the Louise yesterday to spend the winter in Victoria. He brought with him a large number of specimens from different mines.

D J. Mann, manager of the Bon Accord and Sea Island canneries, came down last evening.

Mrs. Ole Bull, the widow of the great violinist, and her present husband, Mr. Thorpe, are at the Driard. They started for Alaska by the George W. Elder, but returned when the steamer turned about with the Anceo's passengers.

Miss Carrie Fraser has gone to Salt Spring Island to spend a few days with friends.

Miss McConnell, Work estate, returned from Salt Spring Island yesterday, where she has been spending a holiday.

R. E. Knowles, returned from a missionary trip to Cowichan and surrounding settlements yesterday.

Principal Grant will arrive this evening on the Islander as announced in last evening's TIMES.

Father McGuigan, Vicar-General of the Archdiocese of British Columbia, has been appointed Rector of Ottawa University, vice Father Fayard, who becomes President of the Catholic College at New Westminster.

J. H. Hilbert and Mr. Marymont of Nanaimo came down on the noon train.

Joseph F. B. Firth, member of the Commons for Dundee, Scotland, died yesterday in Switzerland, where he had been ordered by his physicians.

Der Vaterland, the leading Catholic journal of the empire, and which is generally credited with being inspired, announces that the Empress Augusta of Germany has joined the Catholic church.

Anthony Carter, formerly of this city, arrived last evening from Georgetown, Florida, where he has been spending the last two years.

William's Cities Directory 1890 $1.25, including street Directory of Victoria. A home publication. Office 28 Broad Street. tf

Supposed to be Lost.

The bark Pacific Slope, from Australia for Victoria, is two months over due, and is believed to be lost with all on board. Capt. Barnes was well known here, and was accompanied on the voyage by his wife.

The Thetis.

Captain Spring arrived from the west coast in his sloop Dispatch this morning. He passed within four miles of the place where the Thetis was reported to have been wrecked, but saw no signs of the vessel.

A Result of Conservative Representation.

An Ottawa paper says: William McGin, of the Indian department, will be appointed chief Indian agent in British Columbia vice Lieutenant-Colonel Powell. The report cannot be verified with the minister away.

Death.

David Mandius, a native of Mexico, aged 59 years, died at the Royal Hospital last night. The deceased had been an inmate of the hospital for several years, suffering from Bright's disease of the kidneys, from which he succumbed. The funeral will take place to-morrow.

Mortuary Statistics.

There were twenty five interments made in Ross Bay cemetery for the month of August last, with causes of death as follows: Heart disease 5, lung disease 3, disease of the nervous system 3, disease of the bowels 4, suicide 1, drowning 1, old age 1, disease of the liver 1, disease of the stomach 1, marasmus 1, premature birth 1, still born 2, cancer 1.

Capt. John Irving.

Capt. John Irving, who was seriously injured on the Yosemite when leaving Ladner's Landing on Tuesday last, by being struck by the wheel in the pilot house, which was prematurely let go by two men who had hold of it while the steamer was turning, was somewhat improved to day, though still confined to his bed. The most painful part of the injury was done to the captain's leg near the knee.

A Tourist Hotel.

The effort to form a company to erect a large tourist hotel in this city is announced to be still going on. The matter was taken up and pushed vigorously last spring, but on account of an unforseen and unexpected occurrence it fell through for the time being. The cost of the proposed hotel is the same as that announced before, viz., $250,000, and the location at the corner of Government and Courtney streets.

Bull and Cow Seal.

The schooner Viva which has just returned from Behring sea has two live fur seals on board, male and female. When shot at they were slightly grazed and stunned and while in that condition were caught and tied. If they could be kept alive they would make very fine additions to Beacon Hill Zoo. The hunters think of taking them to San Francisco, where they believe a good price could be obtained for them.

Another Dance Next Week.

Mrs. Nelson has issued invitations for a garden party at Government House for Thursday next, the 12th September. There will be dancing from 3 to 7 o'clock. The gaiety and jollity of Victoria have not departed. There was a dance last Thursday at the new barracks given by the officers of the Battery. There is a dance to-day on board the flagship given by the officers of the Swiftsure, and next Thursday there is to be a third dance at Government House given by Mrs. Nelson.

McRavey-Cameron.

A quiet wedding was solemnized last evening at 7:30 at the Bishop's Palace, Yates street, the principals being Mr. Jas. McRavey and Miss Clara A. Cameron. The sacred ceremony was performed by His Lordship Bishop Lemmens in the presence of the immediate relatives of the bride. Miss Conley, of Olympia, acted as bridesmaid, while the groom was supported by Mr. E. J. McFeeley. The happy couple left on this morning's steamer for Portland, with the warmest wishes of a legion of friends.

The Rev Dowie.

The Rev. Mr. Dowie has completed his labors in Victoria and will at once translate himself to Seattle, taking with him, if we may judge of his remarks from the pulpit, a no very exalted opinion of the Victoria press. It is just possible that the press of this city has been too severe on the gentleman. The Rev. gentleman will do well to bear in mind, however, that he came to this city the avowed exponent of a peculiar doctrine. He could scarcely expect to escape criticism under the circumstances.

A Charge Not Sustained.

A meeting of the committee of the Royal Hospital was held this morning at J. P. Davies & Co.'s office, for the purpose of enquiring into certain charges preferred by John Brown, one of the late patients, against Mr. Garland, the steward. The committee gave the matter a patient hearing, lasting over some two hours. After the evidence pro and con had all been taken down, the complainant refused to put his signature to his own statements, and consequently the directors declined to proceed any further in the enquiry.

Provincial Museum.

The following contributions have been made for the month of August: Victoria, J. McCandlish, Master T. G. Wilson, O. C. Hastings, Tillie Roskamp, Thos. Wood (Marine Hospital), James Tolmie, M.P.P., Master H. P. Wilson, Fred Neeves, Ray Green, William Skaffe, West Huson, H. C. Davies (Swan Lake), J. Seely, Miss McTavish, Andrew Glyde, D. Spencer, S. M. Eastibrook, D. A. Boscowitz, Harry Wootten, Dr. Hasell, J. E. Haughton (Shawnigan), Dr. Thos. C. Brainard (Hamilton Powder Works, Montreal), John Patterson, Kamloops.

The Northwest Baptist Convention.

The Northwest Baptist convention, embracing Western Washington and British Columbia, met last week at Olympia, W. T., and held one of the most interesting and enthusiastic meetings the Baptists have ever held within the bounds of the convention. A large number of delegates were in attendance. The Calvary Baptist church of this city was represented by Rev. M. L. Rogg and wife, Albert Clyde and wife and Thomas Haughton. The reports showed the work in a most encouraging condition. Many new churches have been organized in ready places, and churches already established have made substantial growth. The increase of membership for the whole field the past year has been nearly 50 per cent.

A Word From Mr. Martin, M. P. P.

Mr. G. B. Martin, M. P. P., of Thomson river, is in the city. Mr. Martin says the great draw back of the interior is that produce is not carried cheaply enough to the coast. They have immense crops up there of everything, plenty grain, potatoes, fruit, plenty of garden vegetables, etc., but as matters are now, cattle only can be raised with profit. If low rates could be obtained, the upper country could supply the coast with better fruit than can be grown down here or imported. Much better hay than is grown on the Fraser Delta could also be sent down in considerable quantities and altogether a trade could be worked up that would be a great advantage to both parts of the province. The money paid for provisions would be principally invested here instead of being lost to the province as in the case of that paid for imported articles. Mr. Martin says every time he comes down to Victoria and sees the large amount of farm and garden produce which is brought into the province, he cannot help feeling that half enough efforts are not made to keep this trade within the province. In order to accomplish this the people down here must go in for it.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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licate for the time being. One payment was subject to the acceptance by the committee of the pipe.

Ald. Coughlan considered the motion out of order. He also was in sympathy as anyone that the work be not paid for until the work was perfect; in reference to some slight leaks, he would say that they were now stopped, and that the pipe was all right. He also thought that the committee had nothing to do with the payment in accordance with the terms of the contract, as it was subject to the certificate of the water commissioner.

Ald. McEllister said the motion had been made on behalf of the ratepayers, whose interests should be protected. He did not think the pipe should be paid for until all leaks were stopped.

Ald. Wilson echoed the previous speaker.

On being put to the vote the motion was carried.

At 10 p.m. the meeting adjourned.

THE PROGRAMME.

The Games and Sports Announced for the Provincial Exhibition.

The following programme for the New Westminster exhibition has been arranged and adopted:

FIRST DAY.

Reception of visitors; 10 a. m., baseball match; 1:30 p. m., Scottish games; 8:30 p. m., grand ball at Herring's opera house.

SECOND DAY.

Reception of visitors; 9:30 a. m., grand parade and formal opening of park and exhibition by Lieut.-Governor Nelson; 11:30 a. m., baseball match; 2 p. m., horse racing; 3 p. m., lacrosse match, Vancouver vs. Victoria; grand illumination of the city in the evening.

THIRD DAY.

Reception of visitors; 9:30 a. m., baseball match; 11 a. m., sailing races; 1 p.m., football match, Victoria vs. New Westminster; 2 p. m., firemen's tournament; 8 p. m., illumination of the city, torchlight procession on the river and grand display of fireworks.

MEMORIAL DAY.

The Pretty Custom of the Odd Fellows—Next Sunday's Programme.

The Odd Fellows of the city will hold their annual memorial day services on Sunday next, the brethren assembling at the Odd Fellows Hall, Douglas street, at 10 o'clock, for the purpose of attending divine service in Christ Church Cathedral. The brothers will assemble at the hall again in the afternoon at 1 o'clock and proceed to the cemeteries for the purpose of carrying out the pretty custom of decorating the graves of deceased brothers with flowers. It is expected that a good turn out of Odd Fellows will take place. The committee having the services in hand notify the generous public, who so kindly made floral offerings in previous years, that they will be glad to receive donations again this year up to Saturday, the 7th inst. It is to be hoped that a good response will be made to the appeal so that the grave of the stranger, neglected during all the rest of the year, may at least show that it was not forgotten on Memorial Day. As part of the programme men will be sent out to fix up the graves and put them in order before Sunday.

H. M. S. ACORN.

Death of Two of Her Crew in San Francisco—Deserting Sailors.

A few days ago one of the crew of H. M. S. Acorn died at St. Mary's Hospital, San Francisco. A funeral party was sent from the ship to escort the remains to their last resting place. On the return to the vessel four of the party deserted and have not been seen since by the officers.

On Saturday another one of the crew died at St. Mary's Hospital. He had, like the other one mentioned, been suffering from intermittent fever. Still another of the crew, a man named Royes, is now in the hospital, and five more are sick on board with the same complaint. The one who died on Saturday was named George Copperd. He was a native of Jersey, Channel Islands, 18 years of age, and rated on board as a first class boy. His funeral took place Sunday. A funeral party of twenty-four men were detailed from the ship in charge of Warrant Officer Brenton. First Lieutenant Valentine and Dr. Maitland, the ship's surgeon, also attended the funeral. When the funeral party was on its way back to the city front from the cemetery, a first-class boy named Pacey left his comrades and has evidently deserted.

A *Call* reporter had a conversation with a number of the crew of the Acorn last Sunday. They stated: "We have two men on board now named Lascombe and Bert, who ran away in Valparaiso and were captured by the Bush police fifty miles inland and returned to the vessel. They have been in irons ever since. They will be tried for their offense before the Admiral at Esquimalt when we arrive there."

San Francisco, Sept. 4.—The British warship Acorn was compelled to put to sea last night, owing to the numerous desertions. Five sailors seized the steam cutter Monday night and escaped to the shore. Lieutenant Valentine met another deserter, who knocked him down and escaped. The reason given by the sailors for the wholesale desertion is harsh treatment.

The vessel is not due at Esquimalt till next Sunday.

Landlords Arrested.

The Seattle police having been foiled in their efforts to rid the King street bridge of women of ill-fame by the women's landlords, who have encouraged them to remain there and defy the officers, Chief Mitchell, as a last resort, instructed his men to arrest these landlords. James Keating, owner of several dens, was first caught. He deposited $100 cash bail and was released. Charley Curran was found in one of the houses he owns in company with a prostitute. He was arrested and could not furnish bail. Several more arrests will be made.

Vancouver Trustee Election.

Probably the hottest trustee election which has taken place in the province was contested at Vancouver on Monday. The contest arose over the deadlock which occurred in the board over the appointment of a teacher. Three of the board insisted on the appointment of Mr. Robinson and no other, the other three would accept any other high certificated teacher but Mr. Robinson. The deadlock continued for several meetings and then the whole board decided to resign and to appeal to the ratepayers and householders. The one party still continued to take Robinson against the field, and to stick to him with all the fidelity of men who would lay down life for a friend." The opposing candidates elected to take the field and all the chances which it generally carries with it and on this broader platform they have won the election. Out of the six returned, two are independents. The vote, however, shows that the verdict in favor of Mr. Robinson is about as unanimous as could be expected in favor of any teacher running against the field. The new board will be constituted as follows: G. L. Wilson, and J. Devine, for ward one; C. B. Murray, William Brown, for ward two; A. H. B. Macgowan, and G. F. Baldwin, for ward three.

Art Notice.

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Miss Laura M. Adams, teacher of pianoforte, 34 Cadboro Bay road. *

Passengers Arriving.

Per steamer North Pacific from the Sound—P H Beeler, G C Beckwith and wife, F Biddilf, J Boivin, J Mills, R Bailey, J McCallum, H H Elliott, J Kaizer, G Harmon, Mrs Dennett, G Barnett, B Griffith, Miss Taylor, J Gibbons, J Tramer, G F Ely, R A Moore, E E Smith, Geo Flood, E Levy, W Kohn, E Richardson, Miss Mitchell, S Hanson and wife, J L Crouse, J Teasdale, Miss Adams, L Cormier and wife, Miss Welsh, Mrs Keeler, George McIntosh, J Gibbs, J Brady, Miss Bishop, Lonsford R Nalkowsky, J Wright, M C Hassick, N S Burnham, W Bayard, W H McKay, Dr Van Roekach, E J Stack, W H Boulter, J G Thorpe, Miss Thorpe, Miss Sexton, R Smith, C L Feeley, W Dutton and son, Mrs Henderson, Miss Richardson, U T Cox and wife, T Parcell, A O Carter, J Grant, D Spencer, J Edwards, A J Francis, J Francis, J Richards, M Edwards, M E Mar, and 4 Chinamen.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—J B Springer, T Taylor, W Taylor, D W Stanffer, W H Thompson, J B Kerr, Mr Mr Scriven, F Pell, J Dawson, J C Vermilyea, D J Muir, Jas Harrington, W Street, F L Nixon, A C Ross, Emily Feeley, C E Merriman, S Leiser, L M La Point, E L Davis, Isabella Hamilton, M Nichols, J W Carter, G Lewis, E H King, Judge O'Reilly, J W McFarland, Mrs McFarland, Mr E Miller, Miss A Miller, Miss C Miller, Miss J Miller, John Miller, Mrs Cathes, Rev J Berry, H F Cronin, W Baker, J C Devlin, King Tye, A Lampless, Mrs Carmery, Mrs C Lampless, J Bryson, George Moulds, Mrs C S Edwards, Olive Edwards, Mrs Mossie, Geo Steinman, J M Wood, G W Miller, J McKinnon, Miss Wilson, Mrs J Wilson, Miss Loven, S Potts, A D McGregor.

Consignees.

Per Str. City of Puebla, from San Francisco—Albion Iron Works, A J Bechtel, B & Ker, Carter & Ferris, D R Ross & Co, D R Spencer, E S Marvin, Ellis & Co, H G Prior & Co, Ferguson & R, G H Maynard, G Clements, H A Lilley, H F Steward, J Barnsley & Co, J Fisher, J Wrigleswerth, J & A Clearihue, Jno Leahy, Jno Weiler, J W Keller, J P Matthews & Co, Kurtz & Co, Langley & Co, Lewen & Erb, Lenz & Leiser, Marvin & Tilton, M R & Tye, P McQuade & Son, R Lettice, R Beker & Son, R Jamieson, R Long, Sing Lee, Sing Chong, Tai Sang Tong, T W Fletcher, Thos Earle, Vaie & Brooks, V Jensen, Welch Rithet & Co, W C Anderson, Yee Yuen, Wells Fargo & Co.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—R Maynard, Shears & P, Jno Weiler, C McKay, T Earle, E G Prior, Goodwin & J, Lenz & Leiser, J Hotsham, Miss M Allen, P McQuade, R Jewell, A B Gray, Nair & B, C Strouse, J Piercey & Co, Naval Storekeeper, Mann & H, Angus & Co, P Matthews, A P Gray, Hudson's Bay Co, R F Williams, Pat Lenr, J Sehl, Hamilton Powder Company.

Per steamer North Pacific from the Sound.—Albion Iron Works, G H Maynard, D R Ross & Co, C Hayward, Turner R & Co, J A T Cat, S H J Pitts, Boscherat & Co, Marvin & T, J H Todd & Co, Matthews R & T, Braden & S, R Dunsmuir, D Campbell, Wrigleswerth & Co.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 30 DAYS after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away trees from the tract of land described as follows:

Commencing at a point about 2½ miles west of the mouth of Bear River; thence south 20 chains; thence west 240 chains; thence north 140 chains, more or less, to the shore of Johnston Strait; thence following the shore line of Johnston Strait to the point of commencement.

DAN BAILEY.

August 24th, 1889. sep5-d10-w4t

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we intend making application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land situated at Rivers Inlet, B. C. Commencing at a stake marked A, about (two and a half miles below Kildalla River (near White Slide); thence west forty chains; thence south forty chains; thence east forty chains, and thence running along the shore line to point of commencement. Claim located and staked Aug. 20th, 1889.

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S. A. McDOWELL.

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NOTICE.

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JAMES H. INNES,
Naval Storekeeper.

Royal Naval Yard,
Esquimalt, 4th Sept., 1889.
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MEMORIAL DAY

I. O. O. F.

THE ODD FELLOWS OF THIS city will hold Memorial Day Services on Sunday next, the 8th instant, in which all the Brethren, both resident and sojourning, are cordially invited to participate.

Members will meet at Odd Fellows' Hall at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of attending Divine Service at Christ Church Cathedral, and at 2 o'clock, p. m. to proceed to the Cemeteries to decorate the graves of deceased brothers.

Donations of flowers will be thankfully received at the Lodge Room on Saturday next, the 7th instant.

sep5-3t By order of THE COMMITTEE.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the Standard Newspaper Co. (Ld.), are requested to send in their claims. And all persons indebted to the said Company are requested to pay the same to

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Victoria, B. C., 4th Sept. 1889. sep4

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NIGHT SCHOOL BY AN EXPERIENCED teacher. Terms reasonable. 76 Yates St., room No. 1. Hours 7 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

su20-1m H. SIDDALL, M. A.

NOTICE.

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sep3-3t J. P. MURPHY, Master.

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Wharf street, Aug. 28, 1889. aug28-1w

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TENDERS FOR GRADING THAT PORTION of Dallas road lying between Erie street and the turning below Simcoe street;

And for GRAVELLING Henry street from Rock Bay avenue to Government street; Superior street from Oswego street to St. Lawrence street; will be received at the City Clerk's office up to Wednesday, the 4th of September, prox., at 4 p. m.

Specifications may be seen at the City Surveyor's office.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

City Hall, August 26th, 1889. aug29

NOTICE.

The Esquimalt & Nanaimo R'y Co.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual general meeting of the shareholders of this Company will be held at the office of the Company at Victoria on Wednesday, the second of October next at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Secretary.

Victoria, 21st August, 1889. aug31

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W. R. Clarke,
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